This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

## **Listing of Claims:**

- 1. (Original) A method for altering insulin secretion comprising, contacting a pancreatic islet cell expressing SGK1 with a substance that modulates SGK1.
- 2. (Original) A method according to claim 1, wherein the expressed SGK1 comprises a selected SNP variant.
- 3. (Currently Amended) A method of elaim 1-2 claim 1, wherein the modulator of SGK1 is an inhibitor.
- 4. (Currently Amended) A method of elaim 1-2 claim 1, wherein the modulator is an activator of SGK1.
- 5. (Original) A method of claim 1, wherein the inhibition of SGK1 comprises reversal of the depolarizing effect of glucose, activation of voltage gated Ca-channels and insulin release.
- 6. (Original) A method according to claim 5, wherein the polymorph SGK1 SNP variant is diagnosed before inhibition.
- 7. (Currently Amended) A method according to elaims 1-4 claim 1, characterized by the up-regulation of insulin secretion
- 8. (Currently Amended) The method of elaims 1-4 claim1 wherein the treated subject suffers from symptoms of diabetes mellitus type-2.
- 9. (Original) A method for reducing glucocorticoid induced diabetes mellitus type-2 in a subject in need of such a treatment by modulating the activity of SGK1 in pancreatic islet cells.

- 10. (Currently Amended) The method of elaim 1-4 claim 1, wherein the treated subject has stress induced hyperglycemia.
- 11. (Currently Amended) The method of elaim 1-4 claim 1, wherein the treated subject has hypoglycemia.
- 12. (Original) A method for determining the progression, regression or onset of a disease by measuring the expression of SGK1, comprising taking a sample from the diseased individual.
- 13. (Original) A method according to claim 12, wherein the SGK1 comprises s a selected SNP variant.
- 14. (Original) A Pharmaceutical composition comprising an SGK1 inhibiting agent together with a pharmaceutically effective carrier, excipient or diluent.
- 15. (Original) Use of SGK1 inhibitors selected from the listed compounds having the general formula I or II for the manufacture of a medicament for the treatment of disorders caused by impaired insulin secretion.